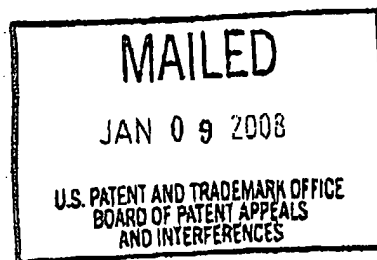




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Appellant: Joseph Roberts et al.
Application No: 09/972,245
Hearing Room: A
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Hearing Date: Tuesday, February 12, 2008
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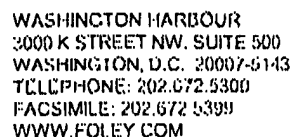
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